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STEPNEY ROAD OPEN TO LOCAL TRAFFIC

Saturday, June 18, 2022 – 18:45 Hours
Spallumcheen, BC

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At 11:45 am on June 15, 2022, the Township of Spallumcheen activated a level 1 Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) due to localized flooding occurring within the Township. With the possibility of rain over the weekend, the EOC will continue to remain active at this time to continue to monitor the situation.

Conditions on Stepney Rd remains stable and is open for local traffic. A sandbagging station is currently set up at the Township Public Works shop located at 1511 Eagle Rock Rd. A second sandbagging station has been set up at the intersection of Stepney Cross Road and Stepney Rd North to serve those affected in the Stepney Road area. You will need to bring a shovel to both locations.

Creek and Culvert Update

With the current flows, the Township crews will be monitoring the creeks and culverts twice a day.

Fortune Creek:

Stepney Road is currently open to local traffic and has overtopped in 2 locations. The South entrance off the highway has greatly receded and is now safe to use. The northern area continues to recede.

McCallan Bridge has receded to a point where it is now flowing as normal.

Sneesby Creek has also greatly dropped and is now flowing normally.

The remaining creeks and culverts are flowing normally.



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